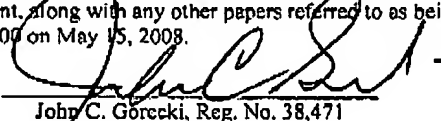


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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

Applicants respond to the Office Action mailed November 15, 2007 as follows:

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